

Sound symbolism

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G-J doublets and alternations

jemplok, gemplok	'stellenweise'
jitok, gitok	'neck'
jèmbèl, gèmbèl	'vagabond, tramp'
jitak, gitak	'hit with knuckles'

Javanese nicknames:

Sugito	:	Jitoq
Sugimin:		Jimin

Sound symbolism

E = [ə]  
e = [ɛ]

guk x	bark of dog
ngEguguk	to bark
ngeong	meow
wek	quack of duck
kukuruyuk	cock-a-doodle -do
kEtuk	cackle of hen
cit x	squeak of mouse
tEkeq	sound of tokek lizard
ngaung	growl of tiger
ngEringkik	neigh of horse
ngoeq	moo
ngEmbeq	to bleat (goat)
be	baa
krik	chirp of cricket

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ng-----	bee
ngung	mosquito; green fly; refrigerator
sEng	falling through air
d <sup>W</sup> ar	firecracker
cEs    x	fire running down fuse
dEng	dynamite explosion
ngwik	whine of dog
ngwik2an	to whine
ngaung	howl of dog
jos	balloon popping
tEk	thump w. finger
kocrok	water swishing in bottle
wer    x	female urinating
cr---	stream of man's urine into water
jEbrot	sudden large fecal discharge
pret	diarrhea
ngElEpEs	to let out long, slow fart
tit	small fart
drot	large fart
sErEdot	slurp (bottle almost empty)
cring	jingle of coins in pocket
tut    x	sound on telephone when waiting for dial tone
prEt	water sprinkling
ting-tong x... gong	:    gambang kromong
cEter	crack of whip
tr---	running of rope

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gludu x ... duk	soft thunder
ngang	rubber band humming in air
jEger	crack of lightning
crat	kilat
kErlep	kilat besar
pret	opening up s.t. stuck with glue
krok	scraping
br---t	flipping pages of book
dung	small drum
kErlip	twinkle of star, flash of diamond
ngEdip	flicker of candle
(man)car	flash of fireworks
tit	telegraph
ngrok	snore
ngaung	spinning of top
wr----	coin slowly stops spinning and falls
ciEt	new shoes squeaking
kik	rusty hinge
cEtrek	key turning in lock
krek	curtain opening on rod
trang	light bulb falling and breaking
jEblak	car door slamming
crek	chopping vegetable on block
ngik	wheeze (asthma)
ngos	pant
(dE)nyut	throb of head; pulse
<del>de</del> dEk	beat of heart

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kriuk	gurgle, rumble of stomach
tEk	key of typewriter striking
gret	typewriter carriage returning
fuh	puff
cuah	spitting
(gE)bus	flare up (stove)
tok	footsteps
sht	Sh!
hush, sh	drive away animals
psht	pst
kr---	call chickens for feeding
pus	call cat
tak	stick of wood cracking
gusrak	sound of tree crashing to ground
krek	crack of large branch
srEk	rustle of leaves
ces	match striking
prEtEk x	crackle of kretek digarette
krauk	eating s.t. hard and crisp
tik	slow drip
tEk	tick of clock
tek	knock on hollow wood
cit	car squealing to a halt
nyit	chalk squeaking on blackboard
br---	rustle of flag, sail in wind
(me)jret	squash flat (soft fruit)
cEtrek	click of camera
tEs	snap of wire, rope

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plak	palm slapping
bEk	eating fast
wit	whistle
prit	police, referee whistle
cuit	whistle w. fingers in mouth
suit	whistle (a song)
plEtuk	thrown object hitting s.t.
blEdak	slam of door
d <sup>v</sup> ak	fist hitting jaw
duk	duller hit (fist on back)
ting	whizz of thrown object in air
buk	falling down
ngit	swinging through air
deng	s.t. falling on tile roof
gumprang	plate crashing on floor
dr---	machine, boat moving over surface
grEgEs	chomp (into apple)
dEs	hit
brak	crash (motorcycle against wall)
jrEng	strumming guitar
lut-lit	flute
ck x	jazz drum
drang-drong	big marching drum
duk kEcrek	rhythm of tambourine
trek tek	frying pan being beaten (mi & cabbage vendor)
kleneng	small balls in tin can (tukang pijit)
teng, neng	school bell, becak bell
kring	t@lephone, alarm clock, bicycle bell

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pren	car horn
juk x	choo-choo
ngong	airplane
stut	factory whistle
tit-tut x	police siren
d <sup>w</sup> ar	bang of gun
plung	splash
byur	dive into water
bret	rip paper, cloth
ret	scratch
cEs	deflation
kris x	snipping of scissors
tret	spark of short-circuit
csht	release of air: aerosol can, tire deflating
csht x	using hand pump (for tire, etc.)
tEk x	hair clippers
tEk	snap on clothes
sr---t	zipper closing
cEp , cEp	said to a crying child while carressing him

Resonant infixation in affective forms

r, l, w, y